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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant wishes to bring the references, listed on the attached form PTO-1449 and enclosed herewith, to the attention of the Examiner. The references were cited during the prosecution of German priority application **DE 103 10 647** in the German Search Report of 3 FEB. 2004, a copy of which is enclosed herewith, and/or during the prosecution of a related, commonly-assigned application of the inventor's co-worker, Mr. Iles-Klumper. Further, most of the references are in English, so their relevance will be readily apparent. Therefore, **this submission complies with MPEP § 609.**

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REMARKS

Most of the references are in English, so their relevance is readily apparent. No representation is made that more pertinent, although presently unknown, art does not exist. It is anticipated that the Examiner will conduct a thorough search of the prior art and will carefully consider the documents submitted herewith.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to **return an initialled copy** of form PTO-1449, to confirm that the references have been considered.

Early examination and allowance of the present application are respectfully solicited. No fee is believed required; if any is required, it may be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0442.

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